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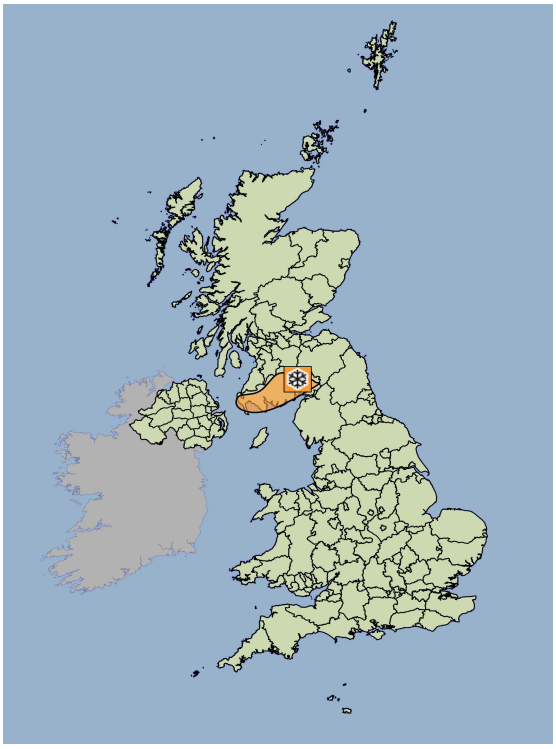

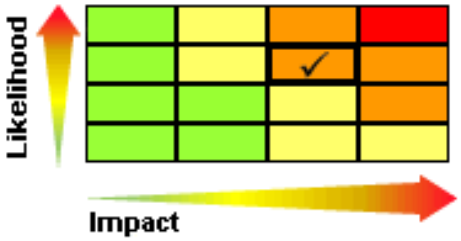

Chief Forecasters Assessment
A depression to the SW of the UK is dragging cold air from the east as an active front comes up from the south, bringing persistent and at times heavy snow across the area. There will be blizzard conditions at times as winds gust 40 to 50 MPH.

The Met Office have issued an **Amber Warning** of **Snow**

Valid from **13:00 on Fri, 22nd Mar 2013** until **23:00 on Fri, 22nd Mar 2013**

Snow across the area will become heavier this afternoon and evening, drifting in strong winds and with large totals building up, to more than 15 cm in many areas and more than 30 cm above 200 m. Intensity should then ease during the night. The public are advised to be prepared for disruption to transport.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

Issued by the Met Office at 08:16 on Fri, 22nd Mar 2013

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For the following areas

- SW Scotland, Lothian Borders
  - Dumfries and Galloway

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